

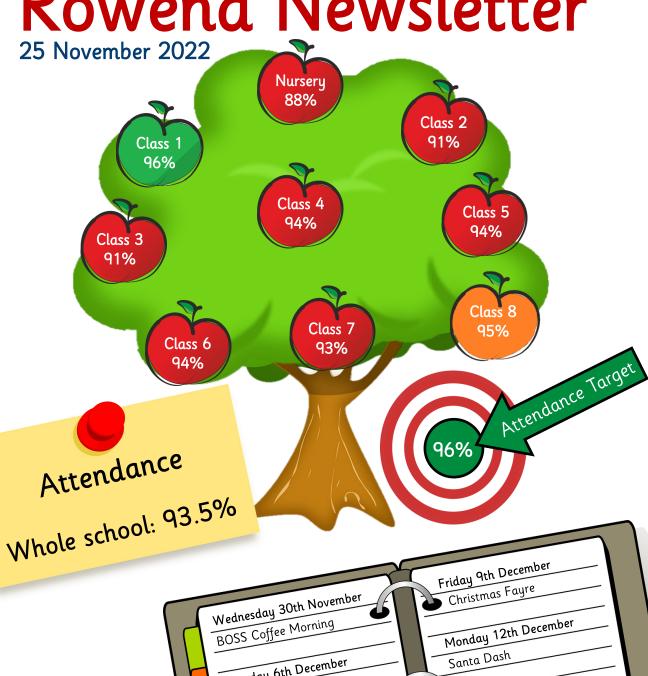


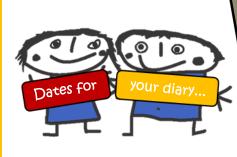






# Rowena Newsletter





Tuesday 6th December Monday 12th December Class 1 Concert Wednesday 7th December Y2 Concert Tuesday 13th December Nursery Concert Ian's Festive Mobile Farm Thursday 8th December Class 2 & Year 1 Concert

#### Nursery

In Nursery this week we have been learning about Number Puppy 4. We have enjoyed exploring the environment and looking for pink objects, square shapes and the number 4.



### Reception (Classes 1 & 2)

This week in Reception the children have done an amazing job in Literacy of labelling carefully the picture of a pirate. They used their 'robot arms' to sound out words and find the sounds they hear, using their ELS grapheme cards. Excellent work everyone!





## Year 1 (Classes 3, 4 & 5)

This week in Year 1 we have continued to review the phase 5 graphemes that we have learnt so far. The children have been excellent grapheme spotters when they go and read their books to apply their phonics skills to their fantastic reading!







#### Year 2 (Classes 6, 7 & 8)

In Year 2 this week the children used globes and atlases to identify and locate hot and cold areas of the world. They made links to their location in relation to the equator before completing their own climate map by colour coding.







#### Messages from Mrs Benton



#### Countdown to Christmas - Attendance Initiative

The DfE has set our whole school attendance target at 96%.

To help us achieve this whole school target at Rowena Academy, we will be running an Attendance and Punctuality Initiative in the run up to Christmas.

This will involve all children attempting to arrive on time and achieve 100% attendance between Thursday 1st December and Friday 16th December.

Every child that achieves 100% attendance and arrives on time every day will win a prize and also have their names entered into a draw to win a Smyths Toys Gift Voucher!



Please support our efforts to achieve this target. Good Luck!



#### Safeguarding

At Rowena Academy, our school community has a duty to safeguard and promote the welfare of children. This means that we have a Child Protection Policy and procedures in place. All staff, including our volunteers and cover staff, are DBS checked.

Our Designated Child Protection Leads are Mrs Benton, Ms Kahler and Mrs Maddison.

If you have any concerns about the welfare of a child in our Academy, please speak to one of the designated staff.





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